

Ward Notification

Tucson Fire Department





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South Tucson – Greyhound Park - 2600 Block of South 3rd Avenue

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Dispatch Time – 1948 On-Scene Time – 1953 Under Control - 2237

This was a fire at the Tucson Greyhound Park in the top of the tower just below the neon dome. Thirty-five firefighters and eleven units evacuated approximately fifty people and 90 greyhound dogs. The dome partially collapsed and the fire was extinguished shortly thereafter. No injuries occurred.

The fire is believed to have started in the top tower just below the dome. Cause – South Tucson is investigating.

Damage Estimate – \$1,000,000

Safety Message: Pay attention to the location of all exits when you enter a building, not just the door you entered. Knowing the location of the stairwells and exit doors could save your life in a fire or other type of emergency situation.